

APPEAL NO. 030599
FILED MARCH 31, 2003

This appeal arises pursuant to the Texas Workers' Compensation Act, TEX. LAB. CODE ANN. § 401.001 *et seq.* (1989 Act). A contested case hearing was held on February 5, 2003. The hearing officer determined that the appellant's (claimant) _____, compensable injury includes an injury to the right quadriceps and the right knee, consisting of lateral subluxation and chondromalacia, but does not include an injury to the low back or groin, and that the claimant did not have disability resulting from the compensable injury. The claimant appeals this decision. The respondent (carrier) urges affirmance.

DECISION

Affirmed.

The hearing officer did not err in making the complained-of determinations. Conflicting evidence was presented at the hearing on the disputed issues in this case. The hearing officer is the sole judge of the weight and credibility of the evidence. Section 410.165(a). As the finder of fact, the hearing officer resolves the conflicts in the evidence and determines what facts have been established from the evidence presented. Nothing in our review of the record indicates that the hearing officer's decision is so against the great weight and preponderance of the evidence as to be clearly wrong or manifestly unjust. Cain v. Bain, 709 S.W.2d 175, 176 (Tex. 1986).

The hearing officer's decision and order is affirmed.

The true corporate name of the insurance carrier is **ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY OF AMERICA** and the name and address of its registered agent for service of process is

**CORPORATION SERVICES COMPANY
800 BRAZOS STREET
AUSTIN, TEXAS 78701.**

Chris Cowan
Appeals Judge

CONCUR:

Daniel R. Barry
Appeals Judge

Elaine M. Chaney
Appeals Judge